

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application: Raasakka, et al
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For: Simplified Wind Deflector for Vehicle Roof Closure



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AMENDMENT

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of December 28, 2000:

IN THE SPECIFICATIONS

At page 4, after line 5, please insert the following paragraph:

As can be appreciated from Figures 1-3, the stop 42 is positioned on an opposed side of the pivot axis 28 from the portion of the wind deflector 40 which is positioned above the closure in its extended position. Moreover, the stop 42 is positioned rearward of the pivot axis in the extended position such as is made clear from Figure 3, while at least a portion of the aerodynamic front surface 40 does extend forward of the pivot axis.

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IN THE CLAIMS:

Please make the following changes to the claims. A marked up version of the original claims is attached in Appendix 1.